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County felonies set all-time record

A string of drug, theft and burglary charges filed in the final days of 1993 pushed the felony caseload in Madison County to the top of the charts.

The Alton Police Department filed the last felony of the year Thursday afternoon, topping off the felony tally at 2,026.

There were 1,895 felonies filed in 1992, the previous record.

In addition to the record number of adult cases, the juvenile docket had 977 cases filed, an increase of 256 cases from 1992.

Prosecutors and police attribute the increasing numbers in part to a growing drug abuse problem and increased efforts to crack down on the trade.

Drug charges accounted for 24 percent of the felony cases last year, or 480 filings.

Those charges included the unlawful consumption, possession, delivery or trafficking of controlled substances, primarily cocaine, crack cocaine and marijuana.

"We seem to be having a consistent trend with drug offenses," said Mark You Nida, administrative assistant to State's Attorney William Haine.

"Anywhere from 25 percent to 30 percent of our caseload involves drugs. And drug use leads to burglaries, thefts, robberies and just about anything."

"When you think about it, there's about \$5 standing between the offender and a high. And to a drug user, a \$5 high is worth doing a petty crime like a bur-

Murder trial begins, 2A

glary. "A cheap high, in their minds, also justifies a violent offense."

Felony filings have been on the rise for years. In 1989, prosecutors issued 1,046 felonies, and 1990 saw 1,321 filings; in 1991 there were 1,769 cases.

"I think what we have here is more aggressive police work," State's Attorney Haine said.

"Cooperation between police agencies and prosecutors has also boosted the number of felonies filed," Haine said.

"We have a close relationship with local police departments and we work with each other," he said. "They are more aggressive and that makes us more aggressive."

Violent crimes, including murder, rape, sexual assault, aggravated battery and home invasion, accounted for 258 cases, or 13 percent of the new filings.

Property crimes, including burglary, criminal damage and theft, accounted for the most cases, 865, or 43 percent.

Prosecutors filed 31 murder charges last year, an increase of six from 1992.

Sex, weapons, traffic, auto theft and miscellaneous offenses accounted for the balance of cases, or 322.

Alton police investigated 578 of the felonies. (See FELONIES, Page 2A)



(Staff photo by PAM DOPKE-HURD)

Mayors, from left, John Bellcoff of Madison, Tyrone Echols of Venice and Ron Selph of Granite City, make "wish lists" for their communities in the coming year.

Mayors have long 'wish lists'

Selph seeks jobs, renewal

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

"Continued growth" and "renewal" are the words on Granite City Mayor Ron Selph's mind in 1994.

"We have seen growth at Capri Sun and at Feralloy in the past year. That, combined with the reopening of American Steel Foundries, should translate into new jobs and, hopefully, that trend will continue in 1994," Selph said.

Among the targets for commercial development is the long-awaited construction and opening of a proposed 14,000-square-foot Walgreen pharmacy at the corner of 20th Street and Madison Avenue in the city's

(See SELPH, Page 2A)

Bellcoff hopes for new funds

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Madison Mayor John Bellcoff hopes that industrial expansion and the favorable disposition of a two-year-old lawsuit challenging the annexation of prime real estate on Highway 162 will help relieve the tax burden on city residents and allow the city to continue to provide vital services.

While Madison has one of the lowest general fund taxes of any city in the area, financial woes prompted the city in 1993 to adopt a \$9 per month garbage collection fee to help fund the city service. Last week, the City Council voted down a proposed

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Echols: Boom in business

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

A boom in economic development is at the top of Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols' 1994 wish list. "We recently established a TIF (tax increment financing) district after having already established an enterprise zone. We're hopeful this will attract business to our city," Echols said.

Echols is especially hopeful in light of the fact that the city is facing a reduced property assessment this year, leaving a smaller base on which to levy taxes.

"Our prayers are even higher than before that some of the things we

(See ECHOLS, Page 2A)

GospelFest returns in '94

The McDonald's GospelFest tradition continues in 1994 with the third annual celebration of Christian music.

In the St. Louis area, Christian music is particularly rich and varied, ranging from traditional gospel to southern gospel to contemporary Christian. The McDonald's GospelFest, which came to St. Louis two years ago, is a community-wide event that reflects the spiritual and musical diversity of the Christian community.

Now through April 9, choirs, small groups and soloists throughout the area will gather to share their musical gifts in a public forum.

GospelFest begins with a series of prayer breakfasts at key sites in the area: St. Louis City Hall Rotunda, Jan. 12; Our Lady of the Snows, Belleville, Jan. 13; and the Holiday Inn Festus, Jan. 14. Each breakfast will be from 7:30 to 9 a.m. The public is invited to these com-



munity kickoff events, as GospelFest performers from previous years entertain and local clergy bless the gatherings.

As part of the McDonald's GospelFest season, a Christian music festival is scheduled for Jan. 28, 29 and 30 in the east court of South County Center. The three-day festival is an open invitation to choirs, small groups and soloists throughout the area to share their musical gifts in a public forum. The festival is free and open to the public.

To participate in the festival at South County Center, soloists, choirs and music group need to complete an open invitation form included inside today's Journal.

The McDonald's GospelFest concludes in spring, when representatives from the St. Louis region perform at a two-hour fund-raising concert at The Fox Theatre in Midtown St. Louis. This year's concert is set for 7 p.m. April 9.

(See FEST, Page 6A)

Possible music career draws singer to California

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

Darryn Yates was a sophomore at Granite City High School when he decided to make music his life's work.

But while in his hopes and dreams Yates became an overnight sensation on the fast track to stardom, in his waking hours Yates is a strict pragmatist.

"I know what I want to do — make a good living as a musician. I know that I keep working toward it, someday I will. Right now, school seems to be the best track to get there," Yates said.

Yates was the homecoming king and named to the all-conference football team in 1989-90 — his senior year at Granite City.

In high school, Yates sang with the local garage band Red Destiny.

The fall after graduation, Yates went to Illinois State University in Normal, which he attended for a year.

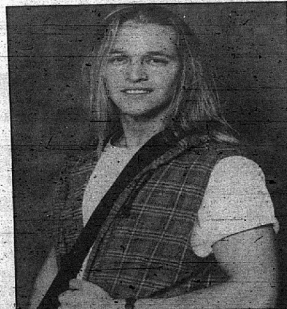
"But I knew that I had to get away from Granite City to really do anything. To make it in the entertainment field, you pretty much had to go to either California or New York," Yates said.

"California seemed warmer — especially if you're going to be a starving musician."

So Yates enrolled in San Diego Mesa College in San Diego, Calif. While in San Diego, he joined a band called Silent Dream that toured the West Coast and played dates in Las Vegas and Phoenix.

He worked as an "extra" on episodes of "Renegade" and "Silk Stalkings" and the USA Network movie "Tainted Blood" that

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Darryn Yates

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The Journal is still seeking photographs chronicling the people of the "Great Flood of '83."

See Page 8A for details on submitting photographs for publication in a commemorative book.

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New Clark Bridge set to ease traffic tie-ups

By James Barrett
Staff writer

Eight thousand tons of structural steel. Forty-four thousand cubic yards of concrete. One-hundred-sixty miles of steel cable. That's what it took to erect the new 4,260-foot Clark Bridge, which will open today linking Alton, Ill., and West Alton, Mo.

However, an estimated 20,000 motorists a day will view the four-lane, \$112.5 million structure simply as a more convenient and less stressful way to and from work.

The graceful span, which will replace the old, narrow-laned Clark Bridge less than a half-mile up the Mississippi River, is one of 25 cable-stay bridges in the country. Unlike the old bridge, a steel truss structure supported by its base, the new bridge is primarily supported by steel cables looped over knuckle-like fittings, or saddles, atop twin 10-foot-wide pylons soaring 250 feet above the Mississippi River.

"It's a more efficient way of designing a bridge," said Thomas E. Havenar, senior associate and deputy project manager for Hanson Engineers Inc., a Springfield, Ill. firm that designed the bridge.

The structure officially will be opened by Illinois Gov. Jim Edgar and Missouri Gov. Mel Carnahan at ceremonies beginning at 3 p.m. today on the bridge's deck.

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Pillings were driven down into bedrock more than 140 feet below the water's surface. The Mississippi River is 3,300 feet wide and about 40 feet deep at the site of the new bridge.

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73-year-old woman battles robbers

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Virginia Bridges wasn't going to let a purse-snatcher spoil her New Year's Eve.

Bridges, 73, and her husband, Robert, had just finished a holiday dinner at Ravanel's Restaurant at 7:30 p.m. Friday when a man tried to steal her purse.

The Granite City resident put up a fight and, with the help of some quick police action, the alleged purse snatcher and his accomplice were soon apprehended.

Charged with robbery and aggravated battery are Robert Gilbert, 40, and Christopher Warlock, 19, both of the 2800 block of Herbert Street.

Bond on the warrant is \$50,000 each.

"They weren't going to take her purse without a fight," said Assistant Police Chief Dave Ruebhausen.

"We don't recommend physical resistance over a loss of property. It can lead to bodily harm," he said.

Bridges suffered a broken hip as a result of the incident.

But her resistance aided in the apprehension of the suspects.

According to a police report, the Granite City couple were getting ready to get into their car in the restaurant's parking lot after dinner.

A red pickup truck pulled up

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— Dave Ruebhausen
Assistant chief

and a man asked directions to the Granite City Venture store.

When Virginia Bridges told the man there is no Venture store in the city, one of the men

stretched her purse and was removing the contents when she grabbed the purse right back, Ruebhausen said.

After a struggle, the men drove away with the purse.

An officer arriving at the scene broadcast a description of the pickup truck over the police radio.

Another officer, hearing the description, saw a similar truck speeding north on Missouri Avenue near 29th Street. The truck's rear license plate was covered by a plastic soda cup in an apparent attempt to hide the license number, Ruebhausen said.

"After they saw the police car, they threw the purse and its contents out of the truck," he said.

The officer then made a traffic stop of the truck at the Phillips car in the restaurant's parking lot and the two men were later identified by witnesses, Ruebhausen said.

Bellcoff

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\$546,395 amended tax levy for 1993 and approved by a 5-3 vote a \$453,000 levy that is projected to result in a \$392,968 deficit for the year.

But industrial development — and the corresponding financial benefits — appears to be looming on the horizon in 1994, Bellcoff said.

One prospect is the pending sale of the Hunteo Steel building, located in the Stephen Maerz Industrial Park and currently owned by the city.

The city is advertising for bids on the sale of the property. The minimum qualifying bid must be \$80,000 or more and include a stipulation that the fair market value of the property not drop below \$1,125,700 for tax purposes.

"I'm hoping all goes well with the possible sale of the Hunteo Steel building," Bellcoff said.

He said proceeds from the sale will go to special fund accounts to help purchase needed equipment for the police and street department. Any remaining profits will be used for City Hall renovations to comply with standards set by the Americans with Disabilities Act and to help make the City Council chambers more accessible to senior citizens.

Other possible industrial development includes the purchase by Kerr-McGee of 264 acres in the old Laclede Steel complex for an expansion and the potential creation of new jobs, Bellcoff said.

Bellcoff said much of the city's current money shortage is due to a lawsuit filed against the city in

1991 by St. Clair County on behalf of Fairmont City. The lawsuit challenges Madison's annexations of land in St. Clair County, including the Gateway Truck Stop, the Gateway International Raceway and Stages nightclub.

Because of the lawsuit, all municipal tax revenue from these businesses including about \$120,000 in sales tax — is currently being held in escrow.

A settlement or judgment in favor of the city would help put the city back on its feet, Bellcoff said.

Other good news from 1993 on which the city is to build is the reopening of Brenda's Restaurant at a new location on Madison Avenue after a fire devastated its former site, and increasing sales taxes being generated at the Food For Less grocery store.

Several warehouses built four years ago in enterprise zones — including a Lanter warehouse on Market Street — are scheduled to go on the tax rolls this year, Bellcoff said.

He said he plans to work with mayors Ron Selph of Granite City, Tyrone Echols of Venice and Glen Wilson of Pontoon Beach to lobby for federal grant money to fund increase police protection under the proposed crime bill currently before Congress.

The four cities working together should have some impact in working with our elected officials in Washington," Bellcoff said.

Murder trial to begin

The trial of a 31-year-old Carbondale man who allegedly murdered a 43-year-old cab driver from Madison in Granite City in October 1992 was scheduled to begin this week.

Eddie Shaw faces first-degree murder charges in connection with the Oct. 6, 1992, stabbing death of Terry Whipple.

Pre-trial motions to suppress evidence were heard Monday and jury selection was scheduled to begin Tuesday in the case.

Opening arguments were scheduled to be heard today (Wednesday).

Whipple, former driver of the murder victim, was found stabbed to death in his wrecked Checker taxicab at the base of the 19th Street overpass, near the intersection of Rock Road and West 20th Street, at about 10:45 p.m.

Shaw was arrested in his hometown of Carbondale three days later and charged with two counts of first-degree murder.

Although Whipple was scheduled to be a minor witness in another murder trial at the time — two of his co-workers have since gone to prison after pleading guilty to the murder of Tommy Bauer — police said that the motive for Whipple's killing was apparently robbery.

Police said they believe Whipple picked up two fares in Madison at about 10:30 p.m. the night of the murder. One of the passengers, Shaw allegedly stabbed Whipple and took \$35, police said.

Shaw then ditched some of his clothes and fled the murder scene along Highway 2 near the Parkway West Mobile Home Park and took a bus from St. Louis to Carbondale, police said.

Police later recovered the clothes and a knife. Shaw's attorney, Stephanie Robbins, said that she will show that Shaw "has the wrong guy."

Assistant State Attorney Robert Trone, the prosecutor assigned to the trial, does not comment on pending cases, but he was facing unrelated federal arson charges when he was arrested shortly after arriving in Carbondale, police said.

Felonies

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ny cases filed in 1993. The Granite City Police Department was responsible for 287 cases, followed by the Collinsville Police Department with 201.

The Madison County Sheriff's Department filed 191 cases and Edwardsville police filed 66.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Echols

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turnaround in personnel in 1993, said he desperately wants to put more police on the street, but "there's just no money for it right now."

He said he has "an intense interest" in the anti-crime program proposed by the Clinton Administration.

"We hope that money trickles down to cities of our size, but I'd like to know some specifics like the longevity of the grant," he said.

"Too often, the state or federal government gives you the money and then cuts it off," he said.

He said he would like to help the Joe Roberts Youth Club find a home.

"We need to entice young people to good, clean fun and keep them away from other activities," Echols said.

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Selph

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down town area. The tax increment financing (TIF) project, in the works for more than two years, has been delayed by legal difficulties in acquiring property. Only one parcel, owned by Clark Oil Co. and reportedly contaminated by leaking underground storage tanks, remains to be purchased before construction can begin.

"Hopefully, the Walgreen's super store will be completed by summer," Selph said.

Along with the sales taxes and property taxes associated with commercial and industrial development, Selph said the increased jobs should result in the need for more home construction.

"It appears our population is on the rise. With Wabash Place (a new residential development) full and the Legacy filling up, there is a need for more residential housing in the city," Selph said.

While new buildings are going up, older abandoned buildings will be coming down in 1994, Selph said.

"Strict building codes enforcement and an aggressive approach to demolish buildings have been my top priority since taking office."

"We have consolidated the engineering and inspection departments and we are going to get rid of some of these eyesores around town," Selph said.

He said infrastructure improvements — including repair of failed sewer lines damaged by the summer flood, and road improvements in North Granite, on Pontoon Road and on Fehling Road — are also a high priority.

To date, the City Council has appropriated about \$650,000 for the repair of nine of 30 sewer lines damaged by a high water table due to the record Mississippi River flood.

Selph, a former police officer, said he intends to pursue grant money for increased police protection if a proposed federal crime bill passes Congress.

Establishing a teen center in the city remains one of Selph's priorities, he said. To that end, he has developed a private corporation and applied for tax-exempt status.

The City Council cited liability concerns when it failed to adopt a resolution to establish a mayor's teen center fund with oversight by the city controller.

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Movie state

Illinois gaining as location for films

SPRINGFIELD — Lights, camera and action racked up more than \$100 million in film and television production in Illinois this year.

The Illinois Film Office and the Chicago Film Office, both financed by the state at a combined \$500,000, helped lure 28 productions that spent a record \$115 million this year, Gov. Jim Edgar announced Wednesday.

Edgar said it was one of the best returns on state taxpayers' dollars, representing \$225 for each dollar spent on promotion of Illinois as a film location.

The Illinois movies included the second-biggest box office success of 1993, *The Fugitive*. Filmed almost entirely in Chicago and suburban and Downstate locations, the movie was directed by Chicago native Andy Davis. Its star, Harrison Ford, is another Chicago native.

Some of the other productions filmed in Illinois this year, many not yet released in theaters, included *My Life*, *Rudy*, *With Honors*, *Blink*, *The Hudsucker Proxy*, *Natural Born Killers*, *There Are No Children Here*, *Love Hurts* and *Baby's Day Out*.

Two television series, *The Untouchables* and *Missing Persons*, were also filmed entirely in the state this year.

Spending by the film and television industry in Illinois zoomed by 35 percent over the \$65 million reported for 1992. It was the first time since the state film office was created in 1975 that industry spending topped the \$100 million mark for a single year.

The 28 productions provided temporary jobs for about 16,500 people, the Illinois Film Office estimated.

The office also maintains hot lines for the film industry to provide quick casting and production information.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Candidate fights petition challenge

SPRINGFIELD — A Madison County candidate for the Illinois House Democratic primary says a challenge to her nominating petitions is without merit.

Lorraine Sjursen of Port Russell Township filed to run in the March primary for 110th House District, but a Troy man has filed an objection to the petitions.

Sjursen, who will take on Robert Daiber of Marine if her petitions are verified, said the 336 signatures she submitted were collected carefully with petition signers asked to show voter identification cards. At least 300 valid signatures are needed.

"We played by the rules. Nobody can say we did this fraudulently," Sjursen said.

The challenge was filed with the State Board of Elections by Homer Gum of Troy. Sjursen said all she knew about Gum was that he owned a Troy Tavern.

Sjursen and Gum can appear at an Election Board hearing on the challenge Jan. 10 in Springfield.

A woman who answered the

phone at the This Is It Lounge in Troy said she was Gum's wife and that Gum could not be reached to comment.

Sjursen said she did not know the motive for Gum's challenge, but she said it was curious that he was being represented by a LaSalle Street lawyer in Chicago.

Neither Daiber, Sjursen's potential opponent, nor the Republican incumbent, state Rep. Ron Stephens of Troy, could be reached for comment.

Daiber was the unsuccessful Democratic candidate against Stephens in 1992.

The main part of the challenge argues all of the petition signatures should be thrown out because the circulator, Edward Sjursen, the candidate's husband, does not live at the address listed, said Pat Freeman, Election Board director of information.

Freeman said objections to some petition signers were lodged on the grounds the people did not live at the addresses listed or had printed instead of signing their names.

Sjursen said the main objection was totally baseless because the address her husband listed, Rural Route 2, Edwardsville, was their correct legal address before new street names were implemented for the county's 911 system. The new name is still the same location and they haven't moved, she noted.

She said some elderly individuals who signed the petitions routinely printed their names, so those should be upheld as legal.

"They just don't want a primary election. I want to get beyond this (petition) objection and get on with debating these guys on the real issues," Sjursen said.

She said she decided to run for the House after getting about 4,000 votes and losing by only 166 votes for an Edwardsville School Board seat in November.

The 110th District includes Foster, Moro, Omphugh and Hamel townships, part of Port Russell Township, much eastern Madison and St. Clair counties and western Clinton County.

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Toys, toys, toys — Jerriann Johnson, a volunteer with the Salvation Army in Granite City, looks for a bag of Christmas toys for a client during the organization's annual Christmas toy and food distribution. The program provided more than 1,400 children with a toy. More than 1,200 Christmas food baskets were also given out.

Arts grant extended

The Madison County Arts Council will be extending the Arts Development Grant application deadline to Feb. 1, 1994.

Additional funds are available from MCA's Arts Development Grant which was received from the Illinois Arts Council to fund local art organizations and programs.

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Anti-poverty agency gets grant

SPRINGFIELD — More than \$200,000 has been awarded to a Madison County anti-poverty agency.

Gov. Jim Edgar announced the Madison County Community Development Department has been given a grant of \$207,527.

The agency can use the money to provide food, shelter and medicine, generally on an emergency

basis, to the poor and disadvantaged.

In addition, the agency is required to commit at least 10 percent of Community Services Block Grants through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to programs designed to help low-income people obtain job skills.

For example, the money can

be used to provide long-term fixed-rate financing to businesses that hire and train low-income individuals referred by the local agency.

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Edgar cites 'flaws' in veto of burning bill

Gov. Jim Edgar recently vetoed leaf burning legislation, citing "obviously unfair" inconsistencies and the unfunded mandate it would have imposed on local governments throughout the state.

"This legislation, though well-intentioned, is fatally flawed," the governor said.

The law would have banned leaf burning by a resident of a town of 1,000 in a large county but not by a resident of a town of 25,000 in a small county, he said. It would have banned leaf burning by a homeowner in a rural area whose nearest neighbor may be a mile away but not by a homeowner in a town of 1,000 or less population.

"These inconsistencies are obviously unfair — not only to those who want to burn leaves but also to those who oppose leaf burning for health reasons," he said. "The bill also amounted to an unfunded mandate on local governments, which would have been called upon to either operate or coordinate leaf disposal or recycling services."

"In fact, this is a classic

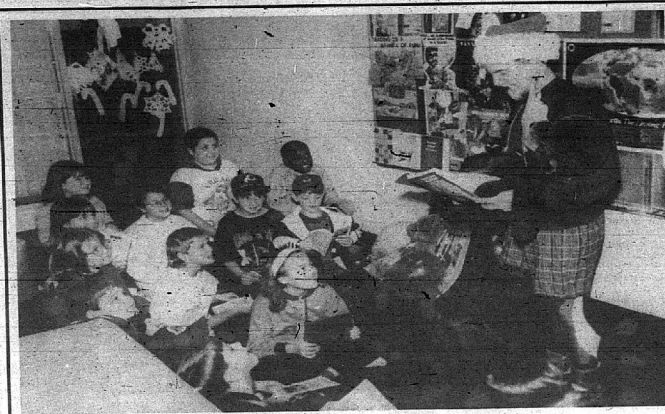
example of legislators voting for heaping additional financial burdens on local governments even though they regularly engage in hot, anti-mandate rhetoric," the governor added.

The legislation generally would have banned leaf burning in counties whose population exceeded 100,000. Seventeen of Illinois' 102 counties would have been affected.

"I am sympathetic to the concerns of citizens about the health problems associated with leaf burning," Edgar said.

"I could support legislation to authorize the Illinois Pollution Control Board to promulgate rules on this issue. Currently, the board is prohibited from such rule making."

"I believe the board could conduct hearings, review scientific and public health data, consider demographics and develop more reasonable and consistent rules than exist in Senate Bill 240," he said. "I could also support legislation that imposes restrictions directly as long as it is fair and does not impose an unfunded mandate on local governments."



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Lake holds RIF book fair — Lake Elementary School reading teacher Tom Haefner reads to a group of students from one of the many books available at the Reading is Fundamental book fair. Each student gets to pick out and keep a free book during the fair. With PTA and student donations along with federal grant funds, Lake School is able to hold four book fairs during the school year.

Shimkus returns part of budget

John Shimkus, Madison County treasurer, returned \$40,638 to the County Board from money budgeted but not spent for his department in fiscal 1993.

From a budget of \$643,931, the expenditures came to \$643,272. This is the third time in as many years that Shimkus has returned money from his budget.

In fiscal 1992, he returned \$27,679; in fiscal 1991, Shimkus returned \$3,500.

This is in keeping with his policy to make the office more productive, doing more with less, he said.

Shimkus said, "I am very proud of the fact that we have been able to hold our cost of operation at fiscal 1991 figures. In fact, since my first year in office we have spent less than our first year in operation."

"This even includes the negotiated pay increase for our bargaining unit workers. With increased job training and continued automation, we can pass these savings on to you, the taxpayers. We do this by spending less than our budget calls for."

This does not include the money returned from Shimkus' pay raise.

Author to speak on violence in Bosnia

James Douglass, an author of four books on the theology of nonviolence, will be a guest speaker at 11 locations during a one-week visit Jan. 11-17.

The author, who recently spent time in Bosnia and Sarajevo, will speak on the current strife in Bosnia. All lectures are free and open to the public.

Douglass, a former theology teacher at Notre Dame University and the University of Hawaii and an advisor during the Second Vatican Council, will speak at the following locations:

• Kenrick Seminary, 5200 Glenwood Drive, from 4 to 5:15 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 11. Informal discussion.

• Karen House, 1840 Hogan St., 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 11. Round-table discussion.

• Notre Dame High School, 320 E. Ripa Ave., 9:45 a.m. in the chapel Wednesday, Jan. 12. Discussion on Sarajevo and the Catholic peace movement.

• Christian Brothers College High School, 6501 Clayton Road, 8 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 13. Topic is the spirit of the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. and his work

and its relativism to the Bosnian situation.

• St. Charles Lwanga Center, 5021 Northland Ave., 3 p.m. Friday, Jan. 13. Topic is the connection between urban poverty and violence and militarism.

• Mary Mother of the Church, 5901 Kerth Road, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 13. Topic is on peace in Sarajevo and what it will take to achieve it.

• Taegler Hall at Saint Louis University, 3500 Lindell Blvd., 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 14.

• Salad Bowl restaurant, 3949 Lindell Blvd., 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 15. Luncheon with the Rev. Buck Jones.

• St. Joseph Croatian Catholic Church Hall, 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 15. Discussion with Croatian-Americans and Croat refugees.

• Catholic student center at Washington University, 6352 Forsyth Blvd., 11 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 16. Discussion following services.

• Islamic Center of Greater St. Louis, 3843 W. Pine Blvd., 1:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 16. A visit with Muslim refugees.

Dairy Day program set for Jan. 13

The dairy business continues to face challenging times. To help producers make management decisions, the University of Illinois Cooperative Extension Service will be sponsoring the 1994 Illinois Area Dairy Day program on Jan. 13 at the American Legion in Breese.

The registration and viewing of commercial exhibits will start at 9:30 a.m. with the program beginning at 10:15 a.m.

Speakers and topics will include: Mike Hutjens, University of Illinois extension dairy specialist, to discuss "strategies with 1993 forages" and dairy cow transitional feeding needs; Dave Fischer, University of Illinois extension dairy educator, will cover "energy aspects of manure" and "is dairy beef an alternative?"

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The 6.25 percent loans can help farmers repay 1993 operating loans and other loan obligations and enables them to position themselves to secure financing for the 1994 growing season.

Local lenders who participate

in the program receive an 85 percent guarantee of repayment from the state, which greatly reduces the risk of making the loans.

To be eligible, farmers must be Illinois residents and farm operators, have debt-to-asset ratios between 40 percent and 65 percent and sufficient cash flow and collateral. The maximum loan is \$300,000.

"Typical loan applicants have lost a significant portion of their crop in 1993 due to flooding and have qualified for grants through the federal disaster aid program."

For more information, farmers should contact local lenders or the Illinois Farm Development Authority at (217) 782-5792 or (800) 526-0844.

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Christmas cheer — Mae Lee, a volunteer with Protestant Welfare, wraps a holiday present during the organization's Christmas program for local needy families and individuals.

(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Special program for seniors

Secretary of State George H. Ryan, the Walgreen Company and the Sunshine Inn are offering a new "Seniors on the Go" program to all citizens in Madison County.

This free program combines a two-hour Rules of the Road review course, a vision examination for drivers license renewal and a simulated hands-on driving experience.

"I understand the importance senior citizens place on independence, mobility and safety," Ryan said. "This program provides a comfortable, risk-free and enjoyable place for senior citizens to practice their driving skills."

Once the individual has completed the program, secretary of state staff members review the results, pointing out safety tips to remember when on the road.

While recommended, the Rules of the Road review course is not required for a driver to take part in the simulation program.

The Rules of the Road review course will be held Jan. 10 from 9-11 a.m. at the East Alton Community Education Center, 655 Berkshire Blvd., (across from Wilshire Village).

The simulation program will be from 9-11 a.m. and 1-2 p.m. Jan. 11-14, by appointment.

For more information or schedule simulator appointments, please call 468-2242.

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Direct all inquiries to "The GospelFest Line" (314) 436-7208. Each person submitting a reservation request will receive a postcard acknowledging receipt of the request. A detailed festival guide including performance times will be mailed to those receiving the January 14 reservation deadline.

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EPA seeks help from farmers on pesticide use

U. S. Environmental Protection Agency officials are urging farmers to work with, not against, efforts to cut the amount of pesticides used on their crops.

"There's a real sense of us versus them when it comes to the agricultural community and the Environmental Protection Agency," said Ann Hardison, an assistant administrator.

"That's not the kind of relationship we want — it's all us," she said. "It's our environment, and it's important for all of us to conserve natural resources."

Hardison was on a panel recently at the first joint meeting of the Illinois Corn Growers Association, Illinois Soybean Association, Illinois Beef Association and Illinois Lamb and Wool Producers.

A major overhaul in federal pesticide regulations was put on the back burner by the debate over the recently approved North American Free Trade Agreement, Hardison said.

But changes are coming, she said, including working with farm groups to develop strategies for reducing pesticide use.

Earlier this year, the EPA lost its court case trying to throw out the Delaney Clause, which calls for zero traces of pesticides in food.

"I call it the emperor-has-no-clothes policy, because there's no such things as zero risk," she said.

In its place, the EPA would prefer to move to a system that evaluates chemicals on the degree of risk they pose to health, balanced against the need for the chemicals to produce particular crops, Hardison said.

The EPA is continuing to review current pesticides using the health-based standard, but is beginning to enforce the tougher zero-tolerance standards of Delaney, she said.

Hardison appeared on a panel at the first Illinois Commodity Conference with former U.S. Secretaries of Agriculture Ed Madigan and Earl Butz.

Current Undersecretary of Agriculture Gene Moos warned farmers that tight federal dollars will continue to be a factor in shaping farm programs.

"We can be sure budget issues will drive farm policy discussions for the foreseeable future," he said.

Madigan gave high marks to Moos' boss, Mike Epy, saying he was carrying out many of the policies Madigan started, notably cutting back the number of USDA offices across the country.

However, Madigan chided the Clinton administration for the deals it made to obtain passage of NAFTA. Madigan supported passage of the trade agreement, but told Moos, "Gene, you've got to learn not to buy those votes retail."

Butz threw up his hands over the growing pressure to regulate pesticides.

"It's getting to where a farmer won't be able to get a haircut in the back 40 without running it through a filter," he joked.

On a more serious note, Butz said pesticides are one of the reasons American can spend so little on food.

"We feed ourselves as doggone cheap as then we hit people over the head for doing it," he said.

Builders elect officers for '94

The Southern Illinois Builders Association has elected as president Sam Hutchinson, president of Interface Construction Corporation in Wood River. Hutchinson will serve as president of the association for 1994.

Other officers elected at the SIBA Annual Business meeting Dec. 14 include:

- First Vice President Bill Orrill, president of Robert L. Morgan Building Inc. in Murphysboro;
- Second Vice President Mike Luhr, president of Luhr Bros. Inc. in Columbia;
- Treasurer Ken Killian, vice president and secretary of Killian Corporation in Mascoutah.

Three-year directors elected include:

- Rich Becker, president of R.W. Becker Co. Inc. in Hamel;
- Larry Kealey, president of L. Kealey Construction Co. in Sauge;
- Paul Schnobelen, vice president of Massman Construction Co. in St. Louis;
- Rick Vernier, president of C.R. Vernier, Inc. in Belleville;
- Bob Wolf, president of L. Wolf Company of Granite City, was elected a one-year director.

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The Suburban Journals continues to seek photos of the Great Flood of '93 in order to publish a commemorative book chronicling the event. The hardback book will feature the people of our communities who struggled to fight back the rising waters.

Hundreds of photographs will fill the book. Many will come from readers. To completely depict the emotions and efforts during the historic event, the Journals are seeking photographs taken by you. Prints may be black and white or color and should illustrate the theme of how people were affected by the flood. Photographs which include people have a better chance of publication in the book.

The accompanying coupon must be included with each photograph submitted. All submissions must be postmarked by Jan. 14, 1994, to be considered for publication.

Not all photographs will be used. They will not be returned regardless of inclusion in the book.

The Journal will inform readers whether their photographs are to be published prior to distribution of the book. If published, the photographer will receive a 50 percent discount coupon on the book and will receive credit.

The book will sell for \$29.95 plus \$5 shipping and handling prior to delivery which is planned in early April 1994. After early April, the price for each book will be \$39.95 plus \$5 shipping and handling.

Details for ordering the book will be published in future issues of the Journal.

Please mail all photograph submissions to:

The Great Flood of '93
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Artists invited to February show in Alton

A special invitation is extended to qualified area artists and craftspeople to be among the exhibitors in the annual Valentine Arts and Crafts Expressions. The show will be presented by the American Society of Artists, a national membership organization, at Alton Square, Bellvue at Alby Street, Alton, Feb. 4-6.

Potential exhibitors in this juried show are invited to submit four slides or photographs of work representative of that which they wish to exhibit, one slide/photograph of their display set-up, a self-addressed, stamped business-size (No. 10) envelope. Resume/show listings are also helpful.

Additional information may be obtained from American Society of Artists at P. O. Box 1326, Palatine, Ill. 60078 or by calling (708) 991-4748.

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OBITUARIES

Virginia Hirtz

Virginia D. "Mickey" (Wilson) Hirtz, 72, of Granite City died at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 3, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center after a one-month illness. She was born Aug. 15, 1921, in Granite City, where she had been a lifelong resident.

Mrs. Hirtz was a homemaker and a member of First United Pentecostal Church, Granite City. Survivors include her husband, Clarence Hirtz; two sons, Robert W. Kuhlmeier of St. Ann, Mo., and Donald Kuhlmeier of Granite City; five brothers, Leonard, Herman, Lloyd, David and Jerry Wilson, all of Granite City; two sisters, Roberta Coy and Pearl Keck, both of Granite City; and four grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Dr. George Wilson and Dantes H. (McIntosh) Wilson; and one sister, Shirley Martin.

Services were held Tuesday at First United Pentecostal Church, Granite City, with the Rev. Lee St. John officiating. Burial was at St. John Cemetery, Granite City. Arrangements were by Irwin Chapel.

Joseph Tolka

Joseph L. Tolka Jr., 62, of Granite City, formerly of Lansing, Mich., died at 11:35 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 1, 1994, at his residence. Born Oct. 18, 1931, in St. Louis, he had resided in Granite City for the past two years.

A maintenance worker, he was a member of the Wimmerau, a New American Legion and was of the Catholic faith.

Survivors include one son, Joseph Goodson of Greenville, Miss.; his mother, Mary Ann Tolka of Granite City; two sisters, Kathryn Mitchell of Granite City and Mary Ann Lowe of Clarksville, Pa.; and one granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his father, Joseph L. Tolka Sr.

Services were held Tuesday at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, Granite City, with the Rev. Robert DeGrand officiating. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon. Memorials in the form of flowers to St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, Granite City, are suggested.

Charles Douglas

Charles G. Douglas, 60, of Granite City died at 2:45 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 1, 1994, at his residence. He was born April 19, 1933, in Stewart County, Tenn.

He was a member of First Christian Church, Granite City, and a Korean War U.S. Army veteran.

Survivors include three brothers, John Douglas and Bobby Douglas, both of Granite City, and Donny Douglas of Perryville, Mo.; and one sister, Linda Johnson of Equality, Ill.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Stansley and Susan Douglas; and one brother, Marvin Douglas.

Services were held Tuesday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, with the Rev. Jack Kelley officiating. Burial was at Wanda Cemetery, South Roxana.

Edward Huckla

Edward H. Huckla, 75, of Madison died at 4:52 a.m. Monday, Jan. 3, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City, after a three-month illness.

He was born Sept. 26, 1918, in Madison, where he had been a lifelong resident.

Mr. Huckla was employed in housekeeping at St. Elizabeth Medical Center for 24 years prior to his retirement in 1983 and was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Madison.

Survivors include two brothers, William Huckla and Vincent Huckla, both of Madison; and one sister, Cecilia Lopez of St. Louis. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jacob and Mary (Furnan) Huckla.

Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. today at Lakeview Funeral Home, 615 Madison Ave., Madison. Services are at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 10th Street and Alton Avenue, Madison, with the Rev. Jim Keener officiating. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon. Memorials are requested for St. Mary's Catholic Church.

William Salmon

William E. Salmon, 79, of Madison died at 7:12 p.m. Monday, Jan. 3, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City. He was born Feb. 8, 1914, in Paris, Tenn., and had been a resident of the local area for the past 47 years.

He was an electrician with Electrical Workers Local 309 for 50 years prior to his retirement in 1981, and a member of the International Order of Odd Fellows, Madison. Survivors include his wife, Leo Mae (Abe) Salmon, to whom he was married for 55 years; one son, Hal Salmon of St. Charles, Mo.; one daughter, Nancy Louise of Albuquerque, N.M.; two brothers, Charles Salmon of Paris, Tenn., and James Salmon of Pascagoula, Miss.; one sister, Dorothy O'Donnell of Memphis, Tenn.; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son, John Salmon; and his parents, Allen and Ruth (Scott) Salmon.

Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. today at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Ave., Granite City, where the service time Thursday is pending. Burial will be at Lakeview Memorial Gardens, Belleville. An Odd Fellows service will be held at 7 p.m. today at Irwin Chapel.

Donn Hornberger

Donn Paul Hornberger II, 24, of Washington, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died Sunday, Dec. 19, 1993, following an automobile accident.

He was born Jan. 19, 1969, in Belleville. He was a graduate of Pacific High School, Pacific, Mo., and had recently completed a series of classes at Edwardsville, with plans to work toward a degree in engineering.

Survivors include his father, Donn Paul Hornberger of St. Louis; his mother and stepfather, Mary and Dale Bradshaw of Washington, Mo.; one sister, Ayn Maune of Washington, Mo.; and his grandfather, Walker Johnson of St. Louis.

Services were held Thursday, Dec. 23, at the Lichtberg Funeral Home, Marshville, Mo., with the Rev. Don Decker officiating. Burial was at Sunset Cemetery, Washington, Mo.

William Willis

William F. Willis, 65, of Pontoon Beach died at 7:38 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 26, 1993, at his home after a one-year illness.

Born Oct. 13, 1928, in Granite City, he had been a lifelong resident of the Quad City area. Mr. Willis was a forklift operator at Spectralite Consortium Inc., Madison, for 38 years prior to his retirement in March 1, 1991.

He was a member of New Bethel United Methodist Church in Glen Carbon and United Steelworkers of America Local 4804. He was a former president of the United Methodist of the Stallings PTA.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy (Ellis) Willis, whom he married Nov. 28, 1953; three sons, Philip Howard Willis of Centralia, Carroll David Willis of Millersville, Mo., and Martin Ellis Willis of Granite City; one daughter, Charlotte Ann Willis of Granite City; one sister, Barbara Grace of Granite City; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Nancy Lee Willis; his parents, Walter P. and Alpha (Dorothy) Willis; his stepmother, Gordon (McDowell) Willis, who died in 1979; one brother, Gordon W. Willis; and one sister, Mary (Willis) Mangum.

Services were held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 28, at New Bethel United Methodist Church, Glen Carbon, with the Rev. J. Michael Smith officiating. Burial was at Lakeview Memorial Gardens, Belleville. Arrangements were by Werner Chapel for Funerals, Pontoon Beach.

Memorials may be sent to Dorothy Willis for her passion work with the needy children of Marshall School, Granite City.

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Hazel Lambert

Hazel Mildred (Hall) Lambert, 85-, of Granite City died at 7:55 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 30, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center after a lengthy illness.

She was born Nov. 14, 1908, in Nebo, Ill., and had been a lifelong resident of Granite City. A sales person and secretary at Carp's Dry Goods Store here for 20 years prior to her retirement in 1973, she was a member of Retail Clerks Union Local 435 and was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include one sister, Grace Gilbert of West Palm Beach, Fla.; two nephews, and one niece.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Charles N. and Myrtle (Tuttle) Hall; one brother, Ralph Hall; and two sisters, Emma Lucido and Ruth Smith.

Services were held Monday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, with the Rev. Greg Dickerman officiating. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon. Memorials are requested for Program Services for Older Persons at Edwardsville Area College.

Gladys Robertson

Gladys D. (McKinney) Johannpeter, 86, of Granite City, formerly of Wood River, died at 12:45 a.m. Friday, Dec. 31, 1993, at University Manor Nursing Home, Edwardsville, after a four-year illness.

She was born Oct. 11, 1907, in Knox, Ind., and had been a resident of Granite City for 18 years. A line worker at Olin Industries Illinois Glass Co., Alton, for 13 years prior to her retirement, she was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include two sons, Jackie Johannpeter of Dayton, Ohio, and Ben Johannpeter of Granite City; one brother, John McKinney of Granite City; one sister, Alice Fenton of Tusculum, Ala.; and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Prentice Robertson, whom she married in 1931 in East Alton, and who died in 1975; her parents, Vernon and Grace (Shearer) McKinney; three brothers, Edward, Howard and Glen McKinney; and one sister, Nina Bernsman.

There is no visitation. Graveside services and burial will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 8, at Eula Cemetery, Westmorland, Tenn. Arrangements are by Thomas Memorial Mortuary, Granite City.

Robert McCord

Robert M. McCord, 76, of Granite City died at 2:45 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 2, 1994, at Vencor Hospital, St. Louis, after a five-year illness.

He was born in Stewart County, Tenn., and had been a resident of Granite City for most of his life. A packager at Granite City Steel for 32 years prior to his retirement in Jan. 31, 1981, he was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include one son, Robert McCord of Granite City; one stepdaughter, Sandy Latham of Indianapolis; three brothers, John McCord of Granite City, Maxie McCord of Louisville, Ky., and Carl Mann of Clarksville, Tenn.; four sisters, Della Webb of Alaska, Ophelia Littlefield of Kingston, Tenn., Audra Durham of Clarksville, Tenn., and Margie Smith of Granite City; and one grandchild. He was preceded in death by his wife, Geraldine (Westphal) McCord; one daughter, Debbie Bass; and his parents, Robert L. and Eula Belle (Manners) McCord.

There is no visitation. Graveside services and burial are at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan. 7, at Lakeview Memorial Gardens, Belleville, with the Rev. Bob Jones officiating. Arrangements are by Thomas Memorial Mortuary, Granite City.

Benjamin Bosworth

Benjamin Lee Bosworth Sr., 76, of Granite City died at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 2, 1994, at University Manor Nursing Home, Edwardsville, after an eight-year illness.

He was a former Madison alderman, Madison firefighter, steel foreman and World War II hero. Mr. Bosworth, born Nov. 4, 1917, in Venice, was a lifelong Quad City area resident. He was a labor foreman at Laclede Steel Co. in Venice, working there for 31 years prior to retiring on July 31, 1977. In 1984, he retired as a lieutenant on the Madison Volunteer Fire Department after 33 years of service.

A Madison alderman for more than 20 years, he was a member of the Madison County Firemen's Association and the Madison Veterans of Foreign Wars.

An Army Air Corps gunner on Liberator airplanes in the Eighth Air Force, he was a prisoner of war at Stalag 17B in Krems, Austria, for 18 months. He participated in an escape attempt during the war, and was among those punished when the escape failed.

Survivors include his wife, Florence "Sally" (Plebanek) Bosworth, whom he married Jan. 23, 1943; two sons, Robert and Frederick Bosworth, both of Madison; three daughters, Veronica Keran of Yardley, Pa., Sandra Humphrey of Glen Carbon and June Zaring of Granite City; two brothers, Courland Bosworth of Madison and Jack Bosworth of Granite City; and three sisters, Mary Ellen Wycoff and DeLoyle Rhoads, both of Madison, and Sandra Humphrey of Granite City.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Benjamin Lee Bosworth Jr.; his parents, Benjamin H. and Ruth Lee (Jones) Bosworth; three brothers, Charles Bosworth Sr., Robert and Calvin Bosworth; and two sisters, Annawill Freeman and Velva Bosworth.

Services are at 10 a.m. today at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Ave., Granite City, with the Rev. James Hays officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon. Memorials to the family are suggested.

George Albertson

George L. Albertson, 77, of Granite City was pronounced dead at 8:35 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 2, 1994, at his residence by Ed Morton, coroner investigator. He was born June 1, 1916, in Missouri and had been a resident of Granite City for 60 years.

He was owner and operator of Albertson Heating and Air Conditioning, he was employed at Snyder, St. Louis, after retiring from the U.S. Navy. He was a member of Nameoki United Methodist Church, Granite City, and Masonic Triple Lodge 835, where he had been a member for 50 years. Aided Shrine Temple; Scottish Rite Bodies of the Valley of Southern Illinois; and the Eagles.

Survivors include one daughter, Phyllis McLeod of Long Beach, Calif.; one brother, Fred Albertson of Vichy, Mo.; four grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Bernice Albertson; his second wife, Pearl C. (Krug) Albertson, whom he married May 2, 1961, and who died July 6, 1990; and his parents.

Services are at 11:30 a.m. today at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Ave., Granite City, with the Rev. James Hays officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon. Memorials are requested for Nameoki United Methodist Church.

Bosworth: always 'full of joy'

The Madison Fire Station was draped in black Monday and the flag at city hall flew at half-mast in memory of Benjamin Bosworth — a former alderman and a former lieutenant with the fire department.

The Madison Fire Department's Old Mac truck — one of the trucks from Bosworth's early days at the fire department — will carry Bosworth to the cemetery today.

Bosworth was born in Venice and served in the U.S. Army Air Corps in World War II. A gunner in the Eighth U.S. Air Force, he was shot down over Germany and spent 18 months as a prisoner of war in the infamous Stalag 17 in Krems, Austria. As a prisoner, he was the only man to escape the camp alive. "I was a prisoner of war in the motion picture 'Stalag 17,'" said Madison County Commissioner Joanne Weidner, his niece. "He was constantly smiling and full of joy."

Bosworth spent more than 20 years as a Ward 2 Alderman — elected five straight times until being defeated in 1969. He served more than 30 years on the fire department, retiring as a lieutenant in 1984.

"He was very dedicated to the city and the fire department," said Madison Fire Chief Robbie Robbins. "He served the community well."

Bosworth was a foreman at Laclede Steel in Madison until his retirement in 1977.

An obituary appears on this page.

Marjorie Parker

Marjorie (Gaughan) Parker, 72, of Denver, formerly of Granite City and Omaha, Neb., died Friday, Dec. 31, 1993, of a respiratory condition at St. Anthony's Hospital in Denver.

She was born Sept. 12, 1921, in Muncie, Ind., and had been a resident of Granite City from birth until 1929. When she moved to Omaha, she lived in Omaha for eight years and then moved to Denver in 1967.

While living in Granite City she attended Sacred Heart Grade School, graduated from Granite City High School in 1939 and was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church and numerous social organizations.

Survivors include her husband, Harry J. Parker, formerly of Madison, who she married Oct. 11, 1942; three sons, Dan Parker of Englewood, Colo., Bill Parker of Ogden, Utah, and Jack Parker of Lakewood, Colo.; one daughter, Kathleen Pfifer of Fort Collins, Colo.; and six grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Daniel and Agnes Gaughan; and two brothers, Paul and Robert Gaughan.

Services are at 10 a.m. today at Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, Lakewood, Colo. Arrangements are by Archdiocese of Denver Mortuary, Wheat Ridge, Colo. Memorials are requested for Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, 3983 Miller, Lakewood, CO 80215.

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Mary Bailey

Mary Jeanette (Switzer) Bailey, 84, of Granite City died at 1:05 p.m. Friday, Dec. 31, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City.

She was a homemaker and a member of Nameoki United Methodist Church, Granite City, where she was part of the Fidelity Sunday School Class.

Survivors include one daughter-in-law, Wanda Bailey of Granite City; two stepdaughters; and three great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph E. Bailey Sr., who died in September 1983; her mother, James O. Switzer, who died in 1932; her mother, Susan (Kemp) Cummings Switzer, who died in 1969; and one brother, Olin Kemp Switzer.

Services were held Tuesday at Nameoki United Methodist Church, Granite City, with the Rev. James Hays officiating. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon. Arrangements were by Irwin Chapel, Granite City.

Memorials are requested for Nameoki United Methodist Church or American Cancer Society.

Birda Towns

Birda (Bishop) Towns, 74, of Madison, formerly of Brooklyn, died Thursday, Dec. 30, 1993, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City. She had been a resident of Madison since 1949.

She was a products supervisor at Nabisco Brands for 42 years prior to her retirement in 1984 and was a member of Bibleway Church, Venice.

Survivors include one daughter, Alice Jackson of Venice; one sister, Fred Norwood of Memphis, Tenn.; her granddaughter, Dorothy (Turner) Carter of Milwaukee; and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert C. Towns; her parents; and one grandson. Services were held Monday at Nash Funeral Home, East St. Louis, with the Rev. Reggie Fields officiating. Burial was at Sunset Gardens of Memory, Millstadt.

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New Year's resolutions Act to avoid problems before they start

By Jane Cosby
Correspondent

Once again it is time for New Year's resolutions and thoughts of how we can improve ourselves next year.

Each year the American Medical Association (AMA) has some suggestions for people who want to have a healthy New Year. This year's list focuses on preventive care designed to avoid problems before they start.

Here are the AMA's New Year's resolutions for 1994.

• Quit smoking or help someone else quit. Illnesses caused by tobacco kill more than 450,000 people each year in this country.

• Passive smoke has been declared a public health hazard by the Environmental Protection Agency and the Surgeon General of the United States.

Children are especially at risk for developing lung diseases from passive smoke.

New Year's Day would be a great day to quit smoking or at the very least, to stop smoking in your house and around your children.

Start talking to your children while they are young about the dangers of smoking and the addition of tobacco so they will not take up the habit when they get older.

• Conduct a home safety inspection. Go through your house and yard and find hazardous conditions that may be endangering your family. Let your children help with the inspection so they can become aware of dangerous areas.

Be sure your children know how to use 911 to call for help, and post other emergency numbers close to the phones.

• Put safety latches on cabinets holding medicines, cleansers or dangerous solvents. If you have babies or toddlers, put safety plugs in electrical outlets and make sure electrical cords are out of reach. Be especially careful if you use space heaters in your home.

• Learn cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). The AMA estimates 100,000 to 200,000 lives a year could be saved if someone trained in CPR is close at hand during emergency situations.

CPR training teaches you what to do in case of a heart attack, drowning, choking or any sudden loss of respiration. The techniques can be learned in less than one day. So, if you have been meaning to learn it, do it now.

• Go through your medicine cabinet. Throw out any medicine that has an expiration date that has passed. Drugs lose their effectiveness and safety over time.

Be sure your children or grandchildren cannot reach the pills or bottles in your cabinet. And do not let children play with child-proof caps.

• End the cycle of family violence. This is one family tradition you do not want to pass on to your children.

According to the AMA, over \$5 billion of our health budget this year will be spent on people hurt in their homes by a loved one.

Violence in the home will not improve if you do nothing. Violent behavior is a disease, and the first step is to seek help. Doctors and hospitals can help you find a counselor to get relief from a violent situation.

Jane Cosby is a former teacher and the mother of two.

If you have any questions or have a specific topic you would like to see covered in this column, please write to: ABC's For Parents, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.



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Helping others — Volunteers with the Salvation Army in Granite City work together to prepare Christmas food baskets for clients. From the left are Delores Webb, Shirley Ables and Leonard Crone.

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Townships cited for implementing earnfare program

Eight Illinois townships, including East St. Louis, were honored at a Nov. 9 awards ceremony for outstanding efforts in implementing Earnfare, the state's successful welfare-to-work program for single, employable adults.

Acting State Public Aid Director Robert W. Wright presented the certificates of excellence to township supervisors at the Township Officials of Illinois Convention in Springfield.

"These local government units have demonstrated outstanding ability to place welfare clients with employers' and help them gain valuable work experience that can lead to permanent employment. Each one of them is a vital part of our Earnfare team," Wright said.

Since Earnfare began in October 1992, the program has referred nearly 19,000 former public aid recipients to temporary jobs and moved more than 1,000 clients from the welfare rolls into unsubsidized jobs.

The townships that were honored include: Capital, Gold Hill, Murphysboro, East St. Louis, Sandoval, Centerville, Danville and Brownsville.

To be selected, townships must have filled an average of at least 60 percent of all slots allocated by the state on a monthly basis, with at least 10 percent of the Earnfare participants entering unsubsidized employment.

Earnfare employees can earn up to \$145 a month for six months. In addition to covering employees' wages, the state pays for transportation to and from work and provides workers compensation. Earnfare participants usually work an average of 62 hours a month.

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SLMB can provide financial aid to some

By Bill Hunot
Social Security Administration

Q. I read recently that the Medicare premium is increasing to \$41.10 in 1994. I can barely get by on the little Social Security I get now. I'm thinking about dropping Medicare so that I don't have to worry about that premium anymore. Is there any way I can be helped?

A. There is a government program that pays the monthly Medicare Part B premiums for low-income Medicare beneficiaries. The program is called Specified Low-Income Medicare Benefits (SLMB), and it pays Part B premiums for people whose income is no more than 10 percent higher than the national poverty level.

SLMB helps people who cannot qualify for Medicaid or Qualified Medicare Beneficiary which provide more comprehensive help to the most impoverished people. But not everyone qualifies for SLMB. There are income and asset limits.

An individual's income must be less than \$893 per month. A couple's income must be less than \$893 per month. The asset limits are \$4,000 for individuals and \$6,000 for couples, but not all assets count. For example, the home where you live does not count against the SLMB asset limits.

Although SLMB is a federal program, the same all over the country, only your state government can decide if you're eligible for help from the SLMB program. If you have Medicare and you need more information about SLMB, contact your state social services agency (Family Services in Missouri, Public Aid in Illinois). Or call the Health Care Financing Administration's toll-free telephone number, 1-800-633-8383.

Q. I was told that I can't get disability benefits from Social Security, because I haven't worked in the past 20 years. I have always

heard that you need only 40 quarters of work to qualify for Social Security. Which is right?

A. Forty work credits (also known as quarters) are all you need to qualify for Social Security retirement benefits at age 62. It doesn't matter when you earn your 40.

But disability benefits are different. One of the requirements to get disability benefits from Social Security is you must have a certain amount of recent work. People age 31 or older must have 20 work credits in the 40 calendar quarters prior to becoming disabled — in other words, about five years of work in the last 10 years. People younger than age 31 don't need 20 out of 40, but must have worked about half the time from age 21 to the time they became disabled.

Even if you are severely disabled, you must also have the required work credits to qualify for Social Security disability benefits. If you are disabled and you can't qualify for Social Security, find out about Supplemental Security Income (SSI). SSI is paid to needy disabled people regardless of how much they've worked.

Q. I began drawing Social Security benefits in 1993 at age 62. I am still working and paying Social Security taxes. Will these additional taxes ever increase my benefits?

A. Social Security will recalculate your benefits whenever additional earnings appear on your earnings record. Your benefits are based on your highest 35 years of Social Security covered earnings after adjustment for inflation. Your benefit will increase if your new year of earnings is higher than a year previously used in computing your benefit.

Address questions for Bill Hunot to West County Publications, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

Bi-State OKs paratransit update

The Bi-State Development Agency Board of Commissioners recently approved the 1994 Paratransit Service Plan Update in compliance with the American with Disabilities Act (ADA).

The update details the agency's progress toward meeting the transportation elements of the ADA which require transit agencies to provide service for people with disabilities comparable to that provided to the non-disabled. The plan also identifies the next steps necessary to attain goals.

In complying with the ADA, the Agency's accomplishments in the past year include: the introduction of MetroLink with fully accessible light rail vehicles and stations; restructuring of Call-A-Ride fares; changes in the bus schedules to inform and accommodate elderly/disabled customers; and the addition of new ADA compliant small buses to the fleet.

Bi-State's ADA Plan for the coming year include:

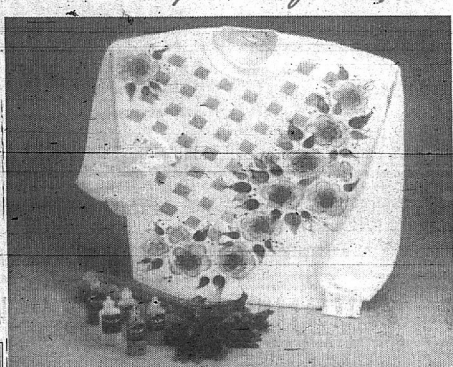
- The expansion of paratransit service with the acquisition of new vans and additional wheel-chair lift equipped buses;
- Extending Call-A-Ride and Call-A-Ride Plus paratransit reservations to seven days a week;
- Extending advance reservation service from seven days to 14 days;
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- T-shirt board
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- Three 1" or #6 brushes
- 1 bunch celery
- Tulip fabric paints — Crystals Icicle
- Fabric pearl paint: White, turquoise, pink rose, jade, sea mist
- Colorpoint Gold Sparkles
- Plastic plate

Step 1 Wash, dry and press shirt. Do not use fabric softener. Put T-shirt board inside of shirt. Lay strips of masking tape onto shirt in a grid pattern of 1" squares. Start on one shoulder, angling tape down to hem. Lay strips, working across 1" apart. Now lay in other strips, forming the grid. On the plastic plate, mix the turquoise paint with the Crystals Icicle paint for a lighter color. Brush in the open areas formed by the tape. Let paint dry.

Step 2 Measure about 5" to 6" from the bottom of the celery bunch and cut straight across. Before this end is flat and smooth. Using a different brush for each color, dab paint on the cut end of the celery. Place rose in the center, pink around the center and white at the very edge. Paint pointed end onto shirt, rock back and forth, then twist stalks to the

right. Lift off. Repeat this process down side of shirt, adding a flower to the other shoulder. Smaller roses are formed after some of the stalks are removed. Let the flowers dry.

Step 3 Mix jade and sea mist together for the leaves. Fill brush with paint, press down onto shirt, turn and pull to form tip of leaf. Repeat around roses, varying sizes and overlapping onto "trellis." Let paint dry.

Step 4 Form berries directly from the bottle using the rose paint. Form large dots of paint, single, double or triple. Let dry.

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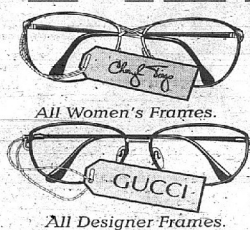
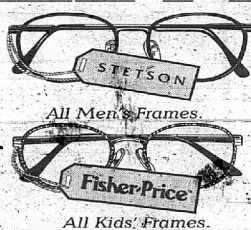
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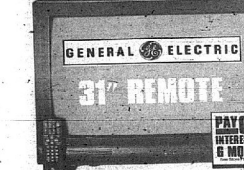
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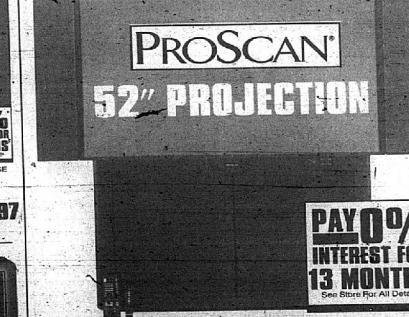
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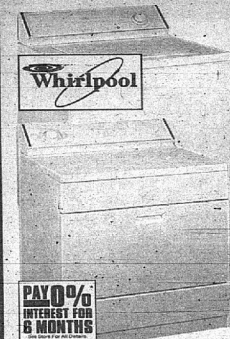
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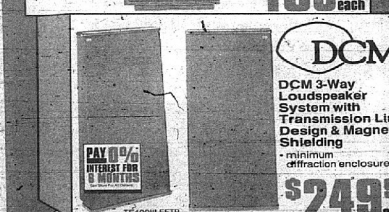
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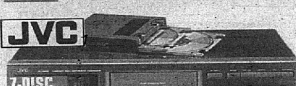
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Today's Food

Wednesday, January 5, 1994

Food & Nutrition

Wise Ways

Route out an itinerary for healthful eating by setting a course on a new star. Linda Blumenberg tells how to interpret the new food label's Daily Values.

INSIDE

Micro Raves

All-time favorite new year's resolutions are easier to manage by looking to Sandra Hounsom's microwave tips for good luck with cutting fat and calories.

INSIDE

Blue Ribbon Cook

Crunchy corn salad gives a winning solution to dilemma of what to serve as side dish.

INSIDE

Living Lean for Adults

Give up the 'diet' for lean, healthful eating. Registered dietitian Patricia Guffey tells how.

INSIDE

Test Run

Looking for a new snack for a brown bag or after school? See what our testers thought of new FundaMiddles.

INSIDE

Health & Fitness

Fresh Picks

Fresh pineapple makes good winter sense with its load of vitamin C. A tasty drink: Blend 1 can (20 ounces) crushed pineapple in juice, 12 ounces pineapple yogurt, 1 ripe banana, cut up, and ½ teaspoon vanilla until smooth.

Medicine Chest

Some drugs used to treat arthritis can cause the body to retain sodium. Coupled with a high-sodium diet, it can be a concern for sodium-sensitive people with high blood pressure.

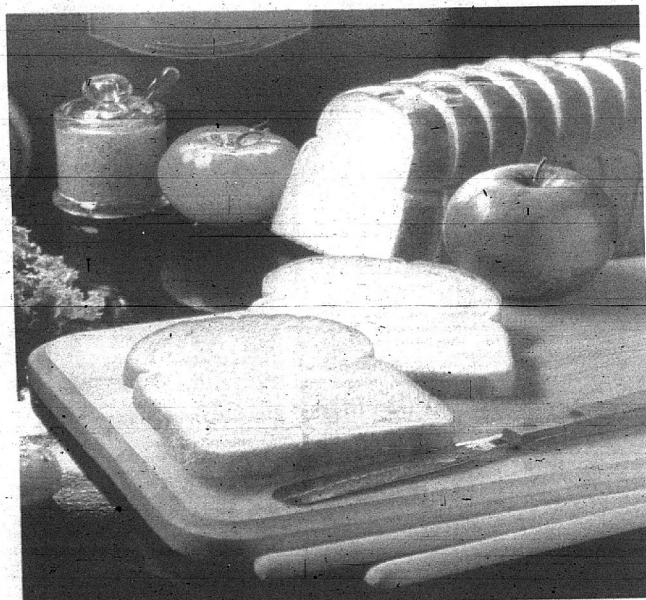
Big Fat Tip

In the winter, less exercise and more eating adds about seven pounds to the middles of people who struggle with weight. Avoid the nibbles. Walk in the mall. Start a hobby. Stay busy.

Future Shop

Did you see the apples that read 'Merry Christmas'? Food grade ink can print directly on cakes, fruits, vegetables, candy. Now branding eggs, it could tell corn buyers to 'Nibble my ear.'

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Some like it soft on the inside and crispy on the outside, warm and soft from the microwave, or heavy with the whole grains and fruits throughout.

Bread is full of style - and carbohydrates, those hearty little nutrients that magically hold fewer than half the calories of fat. Substituting a piece of bread for a piece of meat blazes a sure-fire trail to eating wizardry for disappearing fat without inviting hunger.

Breads make good snacks. Pretzels and bread sticks fill a void like high-fat chips. Grain-based foods help supply energy through the carbohydrates and are satisfying, too.

SEE DOUGH, INSIDE TODAY'S FOOD PAGE 2

Kids Cuisine

To get kids to eat better, have plenty of good tasting, good-for-you and ready-to-eat foods on hand. Fresh fruit, cutup vegetables, low-fat yogurt, rice wafers and unsweetened cereal are perfect choices for quick, delicious snacks.

Introduce your family to new foods gradually. Offer small portions of unfamiliar foods and don't be surprised if they don't win immediate acceptance. Wait a few weeks before serving them again.



Today's Food

Woman's crunchy corn salad sets out to win flavorful course

Janice Rau, south St. Louis County, is this week's winner of dinner certificates from the Pasta House Company for Scrumptious Corn Salad.

Easy to put together, this family recipe can be made ahead of time and forgotten until it is time to be served. Only a few fresh ingredients need to be added to items already in the pantry.

Weekly winners on the four

Blue Ribbon Cook

Wednesdays in February will be taken from entries in the Pot o' Soup Recipe Contest, which should be postmarked by Jan. 31. A recipe for any favorite soup with a long simmer or stocked with shortcuts is welcome.

A single entry to the contest should be sent to: Pot o' Soup Recipe Contest, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

One winner each week will be chosen on the basis of taste, and eye appeal, as well as originality, although the recipe need not be original. Double-check directions and specific amounts, giving variations that individualize

the recipe.

If possible, tell where the recipe came from and give specific information about special touches that give it a personal signature. Indicate which Journal newspaper you receive.

Duplicate entries will be considered on the basis of earlier entry or best compliance with rules.

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1/4 cup diced onion
2 small tomatoes, chopped

1/4 cup dairy sour cream
2 tbsp. mayonnaise
1 tbsp. vinegar
1 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. dry mustard
1/4 tsp. celery seed

Combine corn, cucumber, onion, tomato, sour cream, mayonnaise, vinegar, salt, dry mustard and celery seed.

Liven up lunch with tasty sandwich magic

To put some pizzazz in a lunch box, try these magical ideas for a week's worth of sandwiches designed for the whole family on the light side considering fat and calories. Just add fruit and low-fat milk for a balanced meal.

Sunday

Salad Spells: Wave your magic wand around the fridge and see what great sandwich stuffings can be found in the salad crisper. How about tomatoes, sprouts, mushrooms and lettuce? Add some low-fat cheese and layer it between white, rye or whole wheat bread for a veggie delight

with or without fat-free mayo.

Monday

Hocus-Pocus Ham Sandwich: Convert Sunday dinner's ham leftovers into ham salad with low-fat or nonfat mayo with a touch of mustard. Spread it on sliced bread or an English muffin. Add lettuce.

Tuesday

Abacadabra Tuna: Try tuna salad with low-fat cottage cheese, sour cream and yogurt instead of mayo on a hot dog or hamburger bun with or without sesame seeds. Perk up tuna salad

Wednesday

Hump-Day Wizard: It's hard to beat cream cheese and a bagel. Add variety by mixing chopped chives, celery, nuts or raisins into fat-free cream cheese. Use different flavored bagels, or spread the creamy mixture on raisin bread for something different.

Thursday

Spice-Magic: Experiment with various spices to zip up tried and true favorites. How

Friday

Tah-Dahl Toppings: Try a choice of the following toppings: bananas, fruit puree or all-fruit spread, honey, cinnamon, jam or raisins on white bread. Younger kids might enjoy a cut-out sandwich, created by using a cookie cutter with a shape they recognize.

Saturday

Sorcerer Supreme: Try this inside-out sandwich idea. Roll a slice of seduced-fat luncheon meat, and low-fat cheese around a bread stick. Skewer with toothpicks to hold meat and cheese in place. Serve mustard or fat-free mayo for dipping.

Dough

Continued from page 1C. Most Americans eat only four servings of breads and grains daily. For good health, a total of six to 11 servings is recommended. This includes not just bread, but also rice, pasta, cereal and other grain products.

Six to 11 servings is not as stuffing as it sounds. A single serving is a small roll, 1 slice bread, 1/2 cup cooked pasta or cereal, or just 1/2 bagel or muffin.

Simple changes made in the short run add up to big dividends over time.

Start with breakfast. Eat a bagel: two servings for a day's base.

Lunchtime. Make a sandwich. Voila! Two more.

For dinner. 1 cup cooked rice with a small roll on the side adds three and already has topped the sum to seven.

Add 4 small plain crackers and two 4-inch-long bread sticks for snacks. There is an easy eight servings for a routine day.

Bread bonanza

Slathering breads with high-fat butter, margarine, mayonnaise and cream cheese is a sure way to overturn the overall effect of lowering fat. To minimize the chance of diminishing returns, here are some tips for the light attitude of breads:

Use it one piece; slice or roll at a time. Bagels and English muffins thaw in minutes when taken from the freezer. Crackers keep in their packages a long time.

Extra bread can be frozen and rejuvenated by toasting.

Keep low-fat or nonfat condiments on hand. Stock up on lighter versions of mayonnaise, spreadable or hard cheese, fruit jams, mustard and butter-like spreads.

Add spice without the melt. Serve warm for extra flavor. Spray the top of bread lightly with nonstick cooking spray, crushed basil or garlic salt, then warm in a microwave or conventional oven. Cover

before warming to keep bread moist. Eat quickly while it is warm for true satisfaction.

When making sandwiches, use lower-fat versions of meats like ham and bologna or fill with chicken or turkey breast without skin. Use two pieces bread on every sandwich.

Top hearty muffins or bread with tomato sauce, sprinkle with Italian spices and warm for a hearty snack. A sprinkling of low-fat cheese can be added to the top before heating.

For a sweet snack, dress up plain toasted bread with fruit spread. For a warm bundle of sweetness, flatten sliced bread, center with 1 to 2 tablespoons fruit pie filling, fold bread diagonally and seal edges.

In heavy skillet sprayed with nonstick cooking spray, brown both sides. Sprinkle with cinnamon-sugar to serve.

Written by Janice Denham, Journal food editor.



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Today's Food

Drop the diet, eat healthier

Instead of falling into the annual diet trap, change your mind-set about eating.

Mary Redford, registered dietitian with the Eating Disorders Unit at St. Louis University Medical Center, says, "There are two types of eaters: healthy and unhealthy. In this country, we are obsessed with dieting. We have forgotten what it feels like to be healthy eaters."

The difference lies in our approach to food. Healthy eaters put food in the proper perspective. They see food in a positive light. They view eating as a pleasurable activity.

By contrast, unhealthy eaters view food either as their best friend or bitter enemy. "Many people have a love-hate relationship with food," she says. "They say things like, 'If I eat that, I'll hate myself,' or 'I can just look at a doughnut and gain weight.'"

You fit Redford's profile of a healthy eater if you:

Avoid dieting. Diets are temporary. Going "on" a diet implies going "off" it later. When old troubling eating habits return, so do the pounds.

Eat when hungry; don't eat when not hungry. Tune in to internal hunger cues. Avoid eating out of boredom, anger or other emotions.

Living Lean for Adults

BY PATRICIA GUFFEY

Indulge cravings here and there. Overly strict diets can lead to binge eating. If you really want chocolate, enjoy a small piece then forget about it.

Do not let eating become magical. Recognize food is no substitute for love, happiness or problem-solving.

Focus on what you can eat, not what you can't eat. Add more fruits, more vegetables, more bread, more potatoes, more exercise. More, more, more sounds and feels filling.

Portion out food. Sit down, eat and enjoy rather than gorging in front of the television or standing by the sink.

Do not skip meals. It brings on extreme hunger, resulting in loss of control and binging on high-fat, high-calorie foods.

Eat lots of high-carbohydrate, low-fat fare. Plan most meals around bread, beans, potatoes, pasta, fruits, vegetables, low-fat and nonfat dairy foods and small amounts of lean meat, poultry or fish.

This easy dip is a savory match for carbohydrate-rich

vegetables.

THREE-HERB DIP

4 sprigs fresh parsley with leaves
6 tbsp. reduced-calorie mayonnaise
6 tbsp. nonfat yogurt
1/4 tsp. fresh chervil, finely chopped
2 tsp. fresh tarragon, finely chopped
1/4 shallot, peeled, chopped
1/4 tsp. lemon juice
Pinch pepper

Rinse parsley and chop finely. Wrap it in small cloth or cheesecloth — and twist and wring parsley in cloth, squeezing parsley juice into bowl. Reserve chopped parsley to use as garnish for dip.

Whisk together mayonnaise, yogurt, chervil, tarragon, shallot, lemon juice, pepper and, last, parsley juice. Chill to let flavors blend.

Yields 1 cup; 20 calories, 1.7 g fat, 2 mg cholesterol and 37 mg sodium per 1-tablespoon serving.

Recipe adapted from the "Chez Eddy Living Heart Cookbook" by Dr. Antonio M. Gotto Jr. and staff of the Chez Eddy Restaurant.

Patricia Guffey is a registered dietitian for the St. Louis Chapter of the American Heart Association.

Labels help route good directions

Just like a road map, daily values on the new food labels show the way to a healthy diet. A map is only useful, though, if we can interpret its numbers and terms.

This is also true for the new food labels. Knowing what a term like "daily values" means can help me choose foods with the nutrients I need for good health.

Daily values are based on current nutrition recommendations. On the new labels — by law, they must be universal in May — daily values are expressed as Percent Daily Value on the labels. Based on a 2,000-calorie diet, Percent Daily Value gives a general idea of a food's nutrient

Wise Ways

BY LINDA BLUMENBERG

contribution to make food product comparison easier. For example, by comparing brands of bread, I can choose the one with the % Daily Value — that is the way it is listed — with the most dietary fiber in one slice.

Likewise, I also can use Percent Daily Value to see if I am meeting current nutrition recommendations. Percent daily values are shown for total fat, saturated fat, total carbohydrate, dietary fiber, protein, vitamins A and C, calcium and iron.

Assuming I need about 2,000 calories per day used

as a reference, I can add up all the % Daily Value for saturated fat I eat in one day. If the total adds up to 100 percent or less, my diet fits the recommendation.

Many people, however, need more or less than the 2,000-calorie standard.

For instance, as a smallish woman in a mid-age range who spends much time at a desk, I need about 1,600 calories per day. Thus, my total % Daily Value for any single nutrient in all the foods I eat in one day should add up to 80 percent rather than 100 percent.

Linda Blumenberg, a certified home economist, is food and nutrition specialist with University of Missouri Extension in Montgomery County.

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Microwave turns diet away from dull, back to enjoyable

Famous quotes usually are attributed to many sources. "I'm going to lose weight." "I'll start my diet tomorrow."

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Similar resolutions rarely continue into February. For many, the diet does not continue into the next week.

A person wanting to watch calories may have better luck next time, by eating according to established patterns — but healthfully. A microwave oven should be the utensil of choice for this healthy eating style.

No single food can provide all necessary nutrients, but every day the human body needs a combination. Single-food diets do not provide an efficient body. Increased physical activity aids weight

Sweet snack has unusual taste

Test Run

By Terry Edelman
Staff writer

Betty Crocker, longtime leader in the world of desserts, has a sweet snack on the market.

Called FundaMiddles, the product is a bite-size graham cracker with filling. FundaMiddles comes in three flavors — chocolate filling in honey graham shells, vanilla cream filling in chocolate graham shells, or peanut butter filling in honey graham shells. Six individual pouches are packaged with all three flavors or just one flavor in a box. A 4 1/2-ounce box costs about \$1.79.

Three area households tested FundaMiddles for this week's Test Run.

David Brownman of Des Peres said his family registered varied reactions.

"The general response was that the chocolate and vanilla filled snacks were too sweet, overly sweet for our taste buds," Brownman said.

"The peanut butter filled snack really had mixed reviews, he said.

"One daughter said, 'Yuck, it's a terrible mix,'" he said.

"Another said they were the best. The peanut butter cut the sweetness."

They thought the combinations were pretty strange.

"They were a little different than a cookie, like a sweet filled Corn Chex," he said.

almost like eating cereal with gobs of sugar."

Brownman said he probably wouldn't buy the product again not because of the price, but because of the sweetness.

Fann Stanfill of west county said her daughter liked the snacks — much better than she or her husband did. Her daughter preferred the chocolate flavor.

Stanfill said she probably wouldn't buy the product again, unless it was on sale. Her daughter probably would take FundaMiddles to school as a snack, but Stanfill said she'd prefer her daughter take fruit-filled snacks to school.

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Micro Raves

BY SANDRA HOUNSOM

control and general well-being, too.

In the new Food Pyramid, the largest amount of food consumed should come from carbohydrates — fruits, vegetables, pasta and grains. Remember the saying that fat makes you fat.

These Cabbage Rolls, similar to stuffed bell peppers, use cabbage leaves and ground turkey.

CABBAGE ROLLS

8 large leaves removed from 1 head cabbage
1 lb. ground turkey
1/4 cup chopped onion
1 cup cooked rice
1 tsp. salt
1 egg

1 can (16 oz.) tomato sauce
1 tsp. brown sugar
1/2 tsp. leaf basil
1/2 tsp. leaf oregano

Microwave whole cabbage 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 minutes until 8 outer leaves can be removed easily.

Cut out hard center rib from each cabbage leaf. Place leaves in 8-by-12-inch baking dish. Cover

with plastic wrap and vent one corner. Microwave on high power 1 1/2 to 3 minutes until leaves are pliable.

Combine turkey, onion, rice, salt and egg. Shape mixture into 8 small loaves.

Overlap cut edges of cabbage leaves and place one leaf on base of each loaf. Fold in sides and roll up leaves to enclose filling.

Place rolls seam-side down around sides of same dish, keeping center empty.

Combine tomato sauce, brown sugar, basil and oregano. Pour over rolls. Cover with waxed paper.

Microwave on high power 8 minutes. Taste rolls with sauce. Microwave, covered, 6 1/2 to 8 1/2 minutes.

Home economist Sandra Hounsom is a specialist in microwave cooking.

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Horoscope

Wednesday, Jan. 5
Venus conjuncts Mars in Capricorn, bringing a magical energy for popularity, love affairs, the arts and business. People are seeking to come together around common interest. If financial gain is involved, it's to your advantage. However, don't best not to step over that invisible boundary line between formal and informal behavior. Mistakes could be costly now, and you might not get another chance.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). While Venus and Mars are singing together in Capricorn, relationships take on additional meaning and enjoyment. You'd be wise not to underestimate your public appeal in fact, you may be able to capitalize on it.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Evidently, a long-distance relationship is in the works, and if the person is Capricorn, better yet. Higher education may be calling you loudly. Legal affairs could bog you down, unless you give clear signals to your counsel.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Your social mobility plays a key role in your personal and career success. Money spent in a disciplined fashion will keep you financially solvent for the long term. Power attracts you and tends to act as an aphrodisiac.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Rather than engaging in a confrontation, you would be wise to negotiate your differences. If necessary, you have an excellent chance to find just the right legal representation. Starting a home-centered business just in January.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 23). Even if you're not actively engaged in a love affair, it appears that someone close to you is — perhaps a co-worker seeking your counsel. Succeed in the corporate world. You have a golden opportunity to climb to the top.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Jan. 5). Extra personal magic is yours throughout '94, so a major love affair or creative success is likely. Let your imagination loose this month. Material conditions begin to stabilize in February. Invest or improve your home or real-estate ventures. Widen social contacts in March and December. Play the waiting game in May. Public success or acclaim comes in June and September.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 23). Love affairs still have a special magic, as you attract someone with a widely different background than yours. Investment activity is on the increase, particularly with regard to mutual funds or other long-term strategies.

LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23). The stiffer the opposition, the more determined you're sure to be. Leaving your usual environment can have a magic influence on your love life. Creativity is at an all-time high, as success and inspiration come together.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Creativity and practicality blend well. Excellent financial prospects now develop. Spending tends to be free-flowing, so it's harder to keep track of the bottom line. Rearrange your schedule to find more free time.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You should find yourself burning with renewed self-confidence. Venus and Mars show you the way to enhance your public image. Authority figures play prominent roles in your life and will support you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). There seems to be something hidden in a love affair, and you may be wise to keep it that way for now. Creativity, especially in the area of music or composition, is blossoming wildly. You are the power behind the scenes.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You have more confidence in your decision-making ability when you can bounce your ideas off someone else. Rather than taking the first apartment you see, shop around until you are satisfied you're making the right choice.

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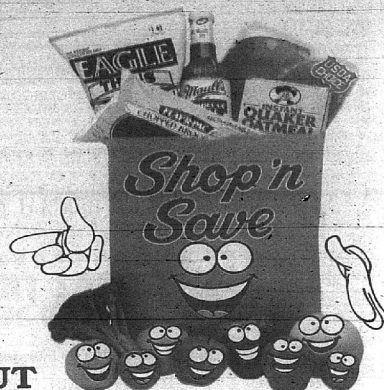
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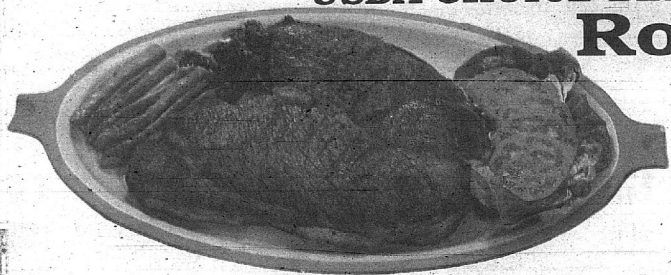
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SPORTS

•Tourney

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a quarterfinal game.

AND SPRINGFIELD Sacred Heart-Griffin, which wondered if it belonged at Collinsville, gave itself a much-needed confidence builder.

The Cyclones, who came into The Classic with a 1-5 record, topped Collinsville 57-53 and then outlasted Urbana 76-74 in double overtime to bust into the semifinals. Griffin eventually lost to Lincoln and O'Fallon, but the Cyclones wound up dividing four games and taking fourth.

Collinsville, which found itself in the consolation bracket for only the second time in a decade, made the most of it. The Kahoks (6-5) won their final three games to emerge with the consolation championship.

"We won as many games in the last 37 hours as we have all season," Collinsville coach Bob Bone said Thursday night after the Kahoks whipped Granite City in the consolation finale.

THE KAHOKS' consolation quarterfinal victory over Chicago Sullivan didn't go into the books until Thursday morning (about 12:30 a.m.). The Kahoks defeated Decatur MacArthur in a consolation semifinal that ended about noon Thursday. The Collinsville-Granite City game finished close to 6 p.m. Thursday.

Strange stuff, indeed. But when it comes to high school basketball, it's wonderfully strange to see events unfold in an unusual fashion.

That's why they play all those games.

NOTES: Clive Memorial will join the field for next year's Collinsville Classic. The Eagles (12-3) finished third in the Breesse Mater Dei Tournament after winning the tournament championship last year.

Chicago Sullivan, 0-6 in three years at Collinsville, may not return. Triad, a charter member of The Classic, could consider looking elsewhere. The Knights, who have a 5-19 record in a decade at Collinsville, will have a new head coach next season.

Edwardsville is another team that might want to examine its options. The Tigers, 14-10 in seven years at The Classic, split two games this season. However, they finished fifth or better in four of the five previous tournaments. The Tigers won it in 1989 and were runners-up in 1990.

East St. Louis Lincoln must be hard-pressed to discover the winning formula at The Classic. The Tigers have a solid 19-7 record in eight years at Collinsville, but they've won only one title, in 1988.

Nevertheless, Lincoln has produced the tournament's most valuable player five times: LaPhonso Ellis in 1986-87, Cuonzo Martin in 1989-90 and Tyrone Caswell in 1993.

The Tigers have been Classic runners-up in 1986, 1987, 1989 and '93.

CASWELL HEADED this year's all-tournament list with MVP honors. Other players selected to the all-tournament team were Granite City point guard Larry Mosby, Sacred Heart-Griffin's Mike McGee, Quincy's Kylee Mosby, Lincoln's Jamaal Horton, MacArthur's John Cliff, Peoria's Meechie Edwards and A.J. Guyton, O'Fallon's Kenny Mosby and Springfield Southeast's Antonio Thomas.

Granite City coach John Van Buskirk received a plaque on behalf of the Warriors before Thursday morning's consolation win over Belleville East. Granite City, Madison and six other teams were given plaques for 10 years of participation in the Collinsville tournament. The other teams were Quincy, Jacksonville, Springfield Southeast, Springfield Sacred Heart-Griffin, Triad and Decatur MacArthur.



Sluggest — The Mr. Twist Sluggers baseball team was recently awarded for winning its indoor winter league. Members of the team are pictured, front row from left, Carl Helton, Sean Courtney, Matt Muccoughla, Andy Paschedag, Jason Acord; second row, Kenny Lindsey, Jeff Schwierjohn, David King, Devin Mayes, Jason Newman, Elliot Dine, manager Winston Mayes, Bill Schwierjohn.



Mr. Twist manager Winston Mayes hands over a first-place trophy to Carl Helton.



Mayes issues a trophy to his son, Devin Mayes, who led the Sluggers on the pitching mound.

•Fishing

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Show organizer Steve Lengyel of Lengyel Consulting in Granite City said: "The professionals will present a variety of tips and information that anglers of all skill levels will find interesting and useful."

Lengyel added that in addition to the nationally ranked anglers scheduled, popular tournament circuit representatives will host seminars, as well as local personalities discussing a variety of topics related to fishing area lakes and other sites.

Local anglers scheduled to appear include KMOX's Tony Albright and Bill Seibel, an outdoors columnist for the Subur-

ban Journals. Recent Bass 'n' Gals Classic champion Mary Lipka of Hazelwood, Mo., will also attend.

AMONG THE MARINE products on display and for sale will be popular fishing boats from six participating area boat dealers, including Nameoki Village Marine in Granite City; The Boat Place in Belleville; Clark Boat and Motor in East Alton; True Value Boat & Motor in Mascoutah; Olson Marine & Cycle in Highland; and The Fishin' Hole in St. Louis.

"Area anglers are really going to appreciate a show devoted to their interests," said Carroll Downing of The Boat Place in

Belleville. "This is the first show ever in the area that will offer consumers a chance to see and compare just fishing boats and accessories. There's a lot of excitement about it among dealers and customers alike."

In addition to the wide range of fishing boats on display, there will be a variety of fishing product exhibitors attending. Anglers will have the opportunity to see the latest 1994 assortment of everything from tackle to electronic equipment.

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| 92 Chevy S-10 4 dr. Blazer | \$15,995 | \$14,995 |
| 91 Chevy 1/2 Ton Pick-Up | \$13,995 | \$12,995 |
| 92 Chevy S-10 Blazer, 4 dr., 4WD | \$17,995 | \$16,995 |
| 91 Chevy S-10 Pick-Up | \$8,795 | \$8,495 |
| 90 Chevy 1/2 Ton Pick-Up (2 available) | \$10,995 | \$9,995 |
| 89 Chevy S-10 Pick-Up | \$6,995 | \$6,495 |
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Buford Jenkins, center, with, from left, Mary Scarsdale, Nancy Kresky and Bert Dritzka, all members of the DAV Women's Auxiliary Unit 53.

Elks, Auxiliary members visit VA hospital

Members of the Elks Lodge 1063 and the Disabled American Veterans Women's Auxiliary Unit 53, both of Granite City, spent the afternoon of Oct. 31 at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Marion.

The Elks Lodge passed out White Elk Lodge caps and past issues of National Geographic magazines. The DAV Auxiliary provided apple cider, cookies, apples, socks and an afternoon of bingo with cash prizes to the residents.

During the visit, the group met Buford Jenkins, a lifetime member of the Marion DAV. Jenkins is 98 years old, resides in Cairo and is a veteran of World War I. Jenkins said he served in the engineers under General Pershing. He was extremely proud to show the group the medal he received recently commemorating the 75th anniversary of World War I.



Samuel Saucier
Joseph and Caren Saucier of Granite City have announced the birth of their second child, a son. Samuel Frank was born at 9:56 a.m. Nov. 3, 1993, at St. John's Mercy Medical Center, St. Louis, and weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces. The mother is the former Caren Shevick. Maternal grandparents are Ralph and Sharon Shevick of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Louis Saucier of Granite City and the late Alice Saucier. Samuel joins his brother, Joseph.

Divorce petitions

The following marriages were recently dissolved in Third Circuit Court:

Wayne A. Womack, 29, and Sandra G. (Reeves) Womack, 28, both of Granite City; married June 19, 1993.

Carl D. Shumate, 42, and Ruby L. Hall-Shumate, 30, both of Madison; married Feb. 2, 1992.

James Thompson, 28, of Wimauma, S.C., and Barbara L. (Davis) Thompson, 26, of Granite City; married Dec. 1, 1991.

Bradford D. Borchers, 30, and Teresa K. (Langellier)

Borchers, 28, both of Edwardsville; married Oct. 5, 1991.

David B. Reid, 34, and Laura J. (Hart) Reid, 31, both of Glen Carbon; married May 12, 1990.

Donald L. Wells, 37, of St. Louis, and Brenda L. (Jett) Wells, 34, of Glen Carbon; married Nov. 12, 1976.

Richard E. Kynion, 43, of Springfield, Ill., and Brenda D. (Cavins) Kynion, 46, of Edwardsville; married Oct. 15, 1971.

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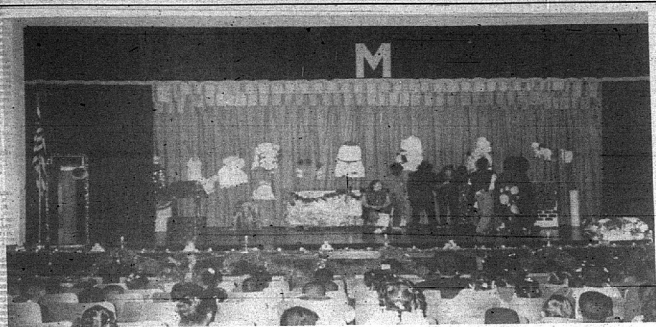
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On stage—The Madison High School Media Club sponsored the children's play, "Santa's List," which was performed for Blair School Dec. 13, Harris School Dec. 14, and a special Wednesday night, Dec. 15, performance for family and friends of the cast. Shell Oil Co. helped provide funding for costumes, props and busing for the students from Blair and Harris schools. The cast included: Hope Gant, Sarah Miller, Dumaha Butler, Demarco Pannell, Maggie Silva, Gina Schoffra, Reggie Strode, Sue Moran, Rodney Hopkins, Melanie Collins, Melissa McCallister, Stephanie Pollard, Chermelle Lawrence, Christina Dugan, Barbara Bailey, Brandy Conner, Sharona Latham, Maria Ware, Shalonta Latham, Ian Chandler, Paul Solomon, Kamisha Griffin, Christina Short and Carrie Knapp. The play was directed by Barbara Cox.

Legion Auxiliary Juniors hold Christmas party

Venice-Madison Unit 307, American Legion Auxiliary, Junior Group, held its annual Christmas party on Monday, Dec. 13, at 7 p.m. at Post 307 home in Venice. Lunch was served by the advisers, Dorothy Hinson and Cindy Yobby.

Following lunch, a short business meeting was held. Final plans were made to visit the Jefferson Barracks Veterans Administration Nursing Home for a bingo party. A report was

made on the donations of games and toys for "Toys for Tots," a total of 28 toys were donated. Plans were also made to be hostess group on Thursday, Jan. 6, from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Burger King Restaurant in Granite City. Two games were enjoyed by the members, Christmas Cootie and bingo. Prizes were quarters, which the girls like to receive. An exchange of gifts was held in the two age groups. Those juniors attending were

Amanda Foley, Bobbie Chastain, Melissa Anderson, Carrie Baker, Laura Martin, Cathy Poland, Chrissie Ballard, Rhonda Ballard, Kaleigh Peery, Chelsey Peery, Jenna Miller and Megan Miller. Adults attending were Connie Ballard, Carla Peery, Loretta Martin, Rose Moreland, Kristin Yobby, Cindy Yobby and Dorothy Hinson. The next regular meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 19.

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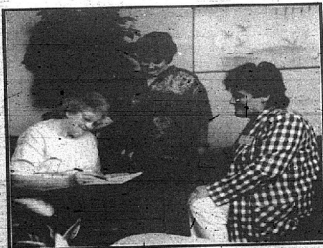
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Several seniors from area high schools participated Dec. 4 in Illinois College's annual Honor Scholarship Competition. The event attracted 196 students from across Illinois and several other states. The 1993 turnout pushed the program's eight-year total to more than 1,000 contestants. The college will award merit scholarships worth more than \$240,000 to the top 12 students. Four contestants will earn full-tuition scholarships, each valued at more than \$30,000 over the next four years, while eight others will be awarded half-tuition

stipends, valued at more than \$15,000 each. The program is supported by institutional funds derived from alumni and other benefactors. In order to qualify to take the scholarship exam, students had to meet rigid academic guidelines.

Local contestants include:
• Belleville East High School
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• Belleville West High School
• Tina Marie Keck
• Edwardsville High School —

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• Granite City High School — Adam Joseph Jenness, Jeanine Marie McMillan, Beth Ann Noe and Jennifer Erin Wojtowicz
• Mascoutah High School — Emily Abigail Lambeth and Josh Christopher Woloszynek
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Help children overcome fears

By Jane Cosby
Correspondent

Babies are born with a fear of falling and a fear of loud noises, but as children grow they develop all kinds of other childhood fears. Because many of the fears seem silly by adult standards, parents may not know the best way to deal with them.

"Monsters Under the Bed and Other Childhood Fears: Helping Your Child Overcome Anxieties, Fears and Phobias" by Stephen W. Garber, Marianne Daniels Garber and Robyn Friedman Spizman (Villard Books, \$20) tells parents how to handle all the fears children develop while growing up.

The authors explain the importance of helping children deal with their fears early, so they can be eradicated and not allowed to develop into lifelong phobias. The book covers specific fears common to children, such as fear of the dark, fear of strangers, fear of getting shots, fear of animals and fear of the weather.

The authors have specific suggestions for appropriate ways to deal with children's fears. The aim

of these suggestions is to teach children to cope with their fears and overcome them.

- Do not minimize or dismiss your child's fears. If you do, he or she may not be willing to talk about his fears to you. This could cause the fears to grow into a larger problem.
- Don't try to talk your child out of his fears. Fear is irrational and will not respond to rational arguments.
- Help your child pinpoint exactly what he is afraid of by asking him questions: Is he afraid of all dogs or just big ones? Is he afraid only of those that jump up on him?
- Teach your child a system for measuring his fear. Use a 0-10 scale for older children and ask younger children to draw a picture or use their hands to show you how big the fear is.
- Help your child use his imagination to shrink his fears. Read him books that deal with the same fears. Encourage him to play pretend games that let him successfully deal with his fear.
- Give your child information about his fears. Sometimes a child's fear is based on erroneous

information or misconceptions. Read books about the subject. Watch movies or videos about it. Help him learn the facts behind the object of his fear.

- Let your child observe other children of the same age who are not afraid. Watching other children having fun and not feeling afraid can help decrease his anxieties.
- Let your child overcome his fear gradually in small steps. Do not force him to confront his fear all at once. Break it down into small steps that he can be comfortable with and that let him face his fear successfully.
- Praise and reinforce your child for each step of progress he makes. The goal is a child with more confidence who can face and overcome his fears.

Jane Cosby is a former teacher and the mother of two. If you have any questions or have a specific topic you would like to see covered in this column, please write to: ABC For Parents, Suburban Journals, 174 Deer Trucks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

Births

Slaton
Ed and Connie Slaton of Belleville have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Ashley Taylor was born at 12:45 a.m. Oct. 14, 1993, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville. She weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce.

Charles and Rosemary Bauer of Caseyville are the maternal grandparents.

The paternal grandparents are William and Sharon Slaton of Shiloh.

Markarian
Ron and Valerie Markarian of Belleville have announced the birth of their first child, a girl.

Emily Shea was born at 2:26 a.m. Oct. 21, 1993, at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. She weighed 3 pounds, 15½ ounces. Maternal grandparents are Rich and Sharon Kienlen of St. Louis.

John and Anna Markarian of Granite City are the paternal grandparents.

Snider
Paul and Leatha Snider of Collinsville have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Sydney Danielle was born at 11:02 a.m. Oct. 21, 1993, at Anderson Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 11½ ounces.

Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Piker of Troy.

Shirley Harper of Granite City is the paternal grandmother.

Varel
Joe and Sharon Varel of Collinsville have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Brandon Richard was born at 8:55 a.m. Oct. 27, 1993, at St. Mary's Health Center in Clayton, Mo. He weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and Joins Michael, 2.

His maternal grandparents are Richard and Ruth Timmermann of Breese.

John and Leora Varel of St. Rose are the paternal grandpar-

Bauer
Chuck and Terri Bauer of Collinsville have announced the birth of their third child, a son.

Benjamin Charles was born at 9:49 a.m. Oct. 29, 1993, at Anderson Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces, and Joins Andrew, 8, and Phyllann, 3.

Janet Krull of St. Louis and the late Kenneth Krull are the maternal grandparents.

The paternal grandparents are Charles and Rosemary Bauer of Caseyville.

Trebing
John and Gina Trebing of Troy have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Jonathan Chase was born Oct. 31, 1993, at Anderson Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces and Joins brother, Chance.

Clete Cooper of Troy is the maternal grandfather.

The paternal grandparents are Bill and Kay Smart of Edwardsville.

Nameoki Women's Club meets

After Freida Burgdorf gave the Christmas message, a delicious Christmas luncheon was served to members of the Nameoki Women's Club on Dec. 16 by the Ladies of Central Christian Church.

Marion Metz, president, announced that a memorial service for Millie Meek was to be held Dec. 18 at Irwin Chapel. Meek was the founder of this club in 1933. Money was collected from members to be

given to the Salvation Army in lieu of a gift exchange.

Metz then installed a new member, Rose Summers. The Granite City High School Swing Choir entertained the group with many Christmas carols. They were accompanied on the piano by their teacher, Gail Mueller. One of the members of the choir, Beth Peery, received a music scholarship from the club last summer to attend a music camp.

Poinsettias were presented to June Cuchna, Lucille Etheridge, Doris Greve, Marian Metz, Melba Tarpoff and Ella Wade, as attendance prizes. Other members present were Delores Allen; Edna Farcade, who celebrated her birthday that day; Mabel Gertsch; Maude Graham; Mildred Jungels; Virginia Little; Maxine Moss; Dorothy McCauley; Marian Shelton and Lu Tabor.

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Madison senior Yule party

Madison Seniors held their Christmas party Dec. 16. The hall included a tree decorated by Jim Broadway and fellow workers. The tables had poinsettias and Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus. After prayer by Chaplain Francis Baker, Christmas carols were sung by George and Dorothy Vasloff and the members. There were 60 members and guests attending. Sister Bernedette from St. Mary's School was among the guests. Petri's catered the meal. Bingo was played and gifts were furnished by Emily Ashford and Thomas Mortuaries.

Births

Mirabella

Roger and Julie Mirabella of Collinsville have announced the birth of their second child, a daughter.

Rachael Marie was born at 12:34 p.m. Sept. 30, 1993, at Anderson Hospital in Marvill. She weighed 9 pounds, 4 ounces and joined Emerald, 3.

Ronald and Jannie Staats of Collinsville are the maternal grandparents.

The paternal grandparents are Jack and Polly Buneta of Lebanon.

Keck

Mark and Linda Keck of Glen Carbon have announced the birth of their third child, a daughter. Bailey Nicole was born on Oct. 6, 1993, at Anderson Hospital. She weighed 9 pounds, 11 ounces and joins Kaleigh and Katelyn, both 3.

Her maternal grandparents are Paul and Jane Johnson of Collinsville. Mildred Keck of Belleville is the paternal grandmother.

Hoffman

Marty and Pam Hoffman of Edwardsville have announced the birth of their third child, a daughter.

Emily Danae was born at 6:09 p.m. Oct. 11, 1993, at Anderson Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 3 ounces and joins Christian and Simon, both 2. Robert and Marilyn Marks of

Collinsville are the maternal grandparents. The paternal grandparents are Leonard and Dorothy Hoffman of Edwardsville.

Clanney-Soulsby Casey Soulsby and Sherry Clanney of Collinsville have announced the birth of their first child, a son.

William Lee Lawrence was born at 10:16 p.m. Oct. 15, 1993, at Anderson Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces. His maternal grandparents are Paul and Sharon Clanney Sr. of Collinsville.

Virginia Parke of Washington Park is the paternal grandmother.

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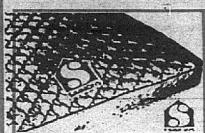
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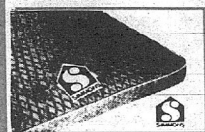
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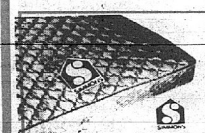
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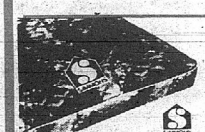
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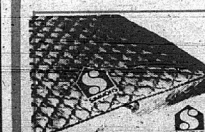
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